



PETEY DINK—IRA'S PSEUDO MUSTACHE WILL HELP HIM A LOT AT FIRST.

SPORTS

HIGH SCHOOL FIVE LOSES TO Y. M. C. A. IN BRILLIANT GAME

Defeated But Make Good Showing
Against Association Squad Last
Night—Score 25 to 16.

Janesville high school's basketball team was defeated by the heavier, older and more experienced Y. M. C. A. five at the association gymnasium last evening by the score of 25 to 16. Continual shifting of players handicapped the "H" team and their full strength was not placed against the high school athletes, consequently the contest was not a highly interesting one, good basketball being considered. The high five, composed of young players without experience, show results of excellent coaching. The improvement made with the material, considered as a second squad, is amazing. Despite the fact that the high school team was outwitted from ten to twenty pounds to a man, they fought with a desperation that showed that the old winning basketball spirit will not be missing from the J. H. S. this year. Their team work, at times, outlasted that of the association team and at goal shooting they held their own, considering the number of shots obtained.

One fault noticeable is that the high players attempt the dribbling game entirely too much. While this method of play has its merits under certain conditions it is not considered practical among high school players. Harry Cushing, center, showed faults in this style of playing, attempting to dribble through players with the result that the high would invariably lose the ball. Richard Cushing and Kakuske played good games for the high school.

Only sporadically did the Y. M. C. A. five play consistent basketball. They loafed on the job at times and then would brace and score baskets at will. Koch, at forward, played in the stellar role during his stay in the

game, scoring four baskets in the first half. Leslie Stuart, at guard, scored twice and held his opponent goalless. Close guarding in the first half kept the high score down to six points while the association ran up sixteen points. In general the game was free from "roughing".

It is expected that during the present week the other athletes will be re-instated by the high school authorities, and Coach Keck will have Richards, Lee, Cronin, Weirick and Viney available for the team. Friday night the high school plays Delavan and it is hoped that these players will wear the uniform of the "H".

High School—R. Cushing, rt; R. Morse, lf; H. Cushing, c; Marshall, Davies, rg; H. Kakuske, lg.

Y. M. C. A.—Koch, Shattuck, rf; Cunningham, lf; Cannon, French, c; Mott, Jones, Sherman, rg; Stewart, Booth, lg.

Field goals: Koch 4, H. Cushing 3, R. Cushing 3, Cunningham 2, Stewart 2, French, Mott and Kakuske 1.

Foul goals: Morse 2, Cunningham 2.

Referee: Coach Keck.

Umpire: Leak.

Time: 20 minute halves.

EDLER AND HEMMING STAR WITH THE FRESHMAN SQUAD

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE)

Madison, Dec. 8.—Al. Sand's freshman basketball team was no match for the varsity five here last night, the final score of a short game being 35 to 7. For the yearlings, Edler and Hemming were the mainstays, the other men being novices at the game. Repeatedly Edler dribbled through the varsity stars with little effort, while Hemming had a good eye for the basket.

George Lewis was the star for the varsity, caging five field goals and four three throws during the contest. Chandler and Carlson were used at center, with Lewis, McIntosh and Huss at forwards. Smith, Morris, Ogor and other material was used at the guards. Coach Meanwell is satisfied that his players will give Beloit a good game, and he looks for a decisive victory and several hundred students attended the game last night.

COLUMBIA STAGES GREAT COMEBACK

After Ten Years Without Football,
Blue and White Ends This Season
Without a Defeat.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE)

New York, Dec. 8.—After ten years without football, without a single defeat, Columbia's Blue and White ploughed through the colleges it met upon the 1915 gridiron. An edict of the faculty barred them from the team of footballers this long time, but my! my! what a comeback!

Columbia, fairly hopping around on her toes in glee over this year's doings, is expecting great things of the Blue and White eleven next year. The only thing that now appears which might militate against realization of that expectation is the fact that Columbia is doomed to lose three strong men from this year's lineup: Captain Francis M. Simonds, left half back; Eddy Calder and Herb Blumeyer, left and right end, respectively.

Columbia is getting ready to go after bigger game next year. Columbia wouldn't be at all averse to include Yale in her 1916 schedule. Columbia, in fact, is quite considerably chafing over this year's football, and not, it might be added, altogether without justification.

The Blue and Whites led off by wallowing St. Lawrence 15 to 0, slugging Stevens 15 to 6, sloughed the Connecticut Aggies 17 to 6 and lambasted N. Y. U. 19 to 16, to say nothing of toppling off by shoving Wesley 18 to 0.

Maybe this ten year layoff business is great stuff, after all. Maybe the Miracle Man will try one of 'em. May be there's a ring of this so-called psychological stuff in a ten year layoff at that. After Booth Tarkington wrote The Gentleman From Indiana, The Man From Home, The Two Van Revels and other books quite some ten years or so ago, he announced that he'd have to be fallow for ten years before he could write again, because lunacy had been written out. Tarkington's 1914-15 season has been a royal comeback, too. May be something to it. Columbia ought to know—she has one of those psycho departments; and maybe there was method

in the professors' madness in banning football after all. LAKOTAS TO PLAY BELOIT ON FRIDAY

Korst Will Not Be in Lineup—Edler, Hemming, Dalton and Atwood Will Form Team.

Members of the Lakota Cardinals will show the Janesville fans their worth for the first time this season, against the Beloit city team Friday night when they play the Line City team at the auditorium. The Lakotas will be without Korst or Stegeman, as Korst will be shooting baskets against Wisconsin university and Coach Stegeman will be watching his team stack up against the Badgers.

Edler and Dalton, guards, Hemming and Atwood will be on hand, however, and this quartet should be enough to trim the Beloit team. Manager George Gildow stated this morning that the other position would be filled by a member of last year's University Reserve and an attempt is being made today to secure Meyers for guard, as he is a fast man and a hard player. Meyers, however, stands a good show for the varsity team and may not be able to play here.

The Beloit team will have a strong lineup, having the Garrity brothers, who have achieved a considerable notch of fame in Beloit athletics. Eddie Garrity, the Washington American League catcher, will play one guard, and Tom, former Beloit college football star, at the other position. Nate Tillie of Albany, will play center with the Phillips brothers at forward. "Red" Connell is also playing with the team.

REGULARS TAKE GAME FROM BAUMANN'S COLTS; THREE OTHER GAMES

Miller's Regulars won from Baumann's Colts last night in a match game at the Miller alleys. Wolcott and Morris did the honors for high man when they both rolled 200.

Y. M. C. A. Win.

The Y. M. C. A. bowling team invaded the Miller alleys last night and won a game from the Cronin Dairy company. Wolcott was high man in this match too by rolling 188 pins.

K. C. League the Cabbots won from the Baltimore and the Marquettes from the Calumets. Tonight at the Miller alleys the De Sotos will roll the Champlains and the La Salles will go against the Columbus team.

Lineups:

Baumann's Colts.

Baummann	161	147	153
Grove	159	148	134
Wolcott	162	149	160
Mead	173	139	157
Pitcher	188	191	157

Miller's Regulars.

Kueck	149	198	178
Yeomans	166	145	185
Lee	156	151	187
Hammond	151	171	171
Morris	151	178	200

Y. M. C. A.

Slaker	153	185	168
Swanson	159	138	168
Rankin	115	126	147
Wolcott	167	188	173
Booth	186	148	177

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Cronin's Dairy.

Cronin	121	137	121
W. Cronin	172	137	153
G. Cronin	120	171	114
Hunter	135	154	114
Morris	177	174	174

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K. C. LEAGUE.

Calumets.

Murphy	128	154	157
Dawson	117	128	97
Ryan	129	126	106
W. Sullivan	123	92	124
J. Collins	103	129	130
McDowell	126	125	125

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Marquettes.

Conway	128	134	99
E. Madden	124	135	140
G. Sennett	158	133	146
M. Sullivan	125	125	126
C. Dulin	121	127	127
E. Leary	117	176	142

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Baltimore.

Joe Schlein	99	110	118
Garbut	120	124	117
Enley	121	116	75
McClue	113	149	97
Roberty	128	99	105
Joe Connel	125	125	125

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Cabbots.

Allen	132	110	141
Klusky	155	148	174
F. Sullivan	132	161	169
Marlin	131	128	127
Broderick	161	128	127
H. Joyce	125	125	125

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Harvard has had three successive quarterbacks whose generalship in big games has been one of the great factors in the successes of Haughton coached teams. None of them was physically of the type usually selected by coaches—other colleges, and least of all Watson, who is credited by experts with running two big games, at Princeton and on Soldiers Field, about as near to the line of perfection as a man could have. The other men are Mal Logan and Harry Gardner and all three were long on brains. If it were not for the extraordinary physical prowess of Charley Barnett, the fragile Watson would perhaps be the natural selection. "Mere" brains has rarely earned a place on such a team.

They sail everything—the Gazette Want Ads.

ARRANGE SCHEDULE FOR THE HIGH FIVE

Basketball Team Faces Stiff Opposition During the Coming Season.

The schedule for the Janesville high school basketball team for the season, which opened last night, has just been completed by Coach Keck and J. T. Sheffer, principal of the high school. The list of games indicates that the high school squad will have unusual strong competition to win the southern Wisconsin title as the state championship tournament will not be held this year at Appleton but Lawrence college, as in former years. It is hoped that the J. H. S. will be victorious in enough of the games to win an entrance to the Beloit college tournament, which will be held some time in the spring, probably March.

The first four games should not prove hard for the Janesville five, providing the star athletes are allowed to play. Both Delavan and Jefferson play at Janesville and the local players should win. If the games were scheduled at the opponents' courts, trouble might be experienced because of the small floors. On January seventh the annual alumni game will be played at the high school. On January 21st, the high squad will meet the strong Madison team at Janesville, which should prove one of the hardest contests of the season. Richmond Center will play the J. H. S. at Richmond Center, two weeks later in another hard game. Beloit will clash with Janesville here on February 11th. Two games with the university highs of Madison have been placed on the schedule and this team is reputed to be very strong this year. The open dates in March, it is expected, will come about the time of the Beloit tournament, which holds the hopes of winning, as a climax to a successful season.

Sergeant Georges Carpentier, champion heavyweight pugilist of Europe, now attached to the French aviation corps, has been decorated with the military cross for brilliant and daring reconnaissance in an aeroplane. Carpentier joined the colors when war was declared and has been in the thick of the fighting ever since. He was first with the signal service and twice had his ap-

paratus blown away by German shells. Later he became an aviator and mobile courier on the firing line and then was assigned to the aviation corps in May, last.

Pat Moran is rather bashful about signing up for 1916. Why shouldn't he be? He got only about \$5,000 last year—and he made at least \$100,000 more from the club than Charlie Doolin did in 1914. He made more for the Phillie owners in 1915 than Fred Clarke did for Barney Dreyfuss, more than George Stallings did for Jim Gaffney, more than John McGraw, Roger Bresnahan and Wilbert Robinson made for their owners. And all those managers drew from \$5,000 to \$15,000 more for the 1915 season's work than did Moran.

JANESVILLE HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

1915-1916.

- Dec. 7—Y. M. C. A. at the Y. M. C. A.
- Dec. 10—Delavan at Janesville.
- Dec. 17—Jefferson at Janesville.
- Jan. 7—Alumni.
- Jan. 14—Stoughton at Stoughton.
- Jan. 21—Madison at Janesville.
- Jan. 28—Waukesha at Waukesha.
- Feb. 4—Richland Center at Richland Center.
- Feb. 11—Beloit at Janesville.
- Feb. 18—University high at Madison.
- Feb. 25—Open.
- Feb. 25—Evansville here.
- March 3—University high at Janesville.
- March 10—Kenosha at Janesville.
- March 17—Open.
- March 24—Open.

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THE MESSAGE.

President Wilson gave his annual message to congress on Tuesday. In the words of one of his democratic followers, "it was a beautifully worded message." A second said: "It was an admirably worded message." Of course one would expect nothing more or less than these two facts from any state paper our scholar president would produce. However, it is subject to severe criticism by both democrats and republicans when carefully analyzed.

It would not be "less majestic" to say that the most significant statement made in the whole message is that unless some methods are made to increase the revenue of the nation by extra taxation the national deficit would total the immense sum of \$297,000,000, clearly demonstrating as Minority Leader Mann said: "And as has always happened before, it happens again that a democratic president is urging congress to increase taxation on the people."

Others see in his talk of preparedness, thought of war in the immediate future, although it is not so stated in so many words. His plan for an immense continental army, however, is not entirely worked out in detail, but has food for careful thought and consideration.

The message deals with six major topics—Mexico, national defense, the merchant marine, finance, alien plots on American soil, and transportation. One significant arraignment is found in his treatment of the question of the "Traitors Within Our Ranks," as he terms it.

Quoting hard on his demand for the recall of the German attaches and the institution of prosecutions of numerous aggregations of war plotters, the president's remarks on the evils of "hyphenism" easily constitute the outstanding feature of his address.

"I am sorry to say that the gravest threats against our national peace and safety have been uttered within our own borders," the president said. "There are citizens of the United States, I blush to admit, who under other flags but welcomed under our generous naturalization laws to the full freedom and opportunity of America, who have poured the poison of disloyalty into the very arteries of our national life; who have sought to bring the authority and good name of our government into contempt, to destroy our institutions wherever they stood, to stir up the passions of race and class, to divide and conquer, to subvert the purposes of the union, and to debase our policies to the uses of foreign intrigue."

The president admitted that these disloyal Americans are not numerous, but he said they had managed to bring deep disgrace upon us. He added that "America never witnessed anything like this before," had never dreamed of such conspiracies, and therefore never had made adequate provision to deal with them. He urged congress speedily to perfect the neutrality laws so as to make possible the suppression of anti-American plots.

"Such creatures of passion, disloyalty, and anarchy must be crushed out," the president exclaimed amid a general outburst of applause and cheering.

Then the president pitched into those persons born in the United States who, "calling themselves Americans, have so forgotten themselves and their honor as citizens as to put their passionate sympathy with one or the other side in the great European conflict above their regard for the peace and dignity of the United States."

Coming as they do from the President of the United States, they are both startling and most suggestive. How they will be taken by the class of citizens who have placed their native land above that of their adoption and who have criticized all who differed with their ideals will be hard to say.

Taking it all in all the message is a most rhetorical, finished, polished statement of facts and theories so interwoven it will be hard to distinguish facts from fiction when the time comes for real congressional action. That the president will not have an easy time in compelling his followers in congress in meeting his points of view is certain, so that the prelude to the present session will be viewed with interest throughout the whole nation.

MILITARY TRAINING.

The significant vote of 10 to 9 of the students in the Rockford high school on the installing of military drill as part of the high school work is worth considering. It might not be a bad plan to try a similar vote in the local high schools throughout the county and see what the result would be.

be. It would certainly bring out the true sentiment of the parents of the students and might prove most interesting data.

"One of the press comments upon the Rockford vote said: 'In Rockford the parents of high school pupils were asked if they wanted their sons to have military training. A majority replied that they did—a considerable majority. By small majorities they expressed disapproval of a compulsory one year course of military training in the schools and of a suggestion that they pay for the equipment the boys would need.'"

"However, almost half of the parents were willing to meet the expense and submit their sons to compulsion. Necessarily military education in the schools could have few of the rigors of intensive training and of military discipline, but making allowances for the parental knowledge, that the course could not be severe, the sentiment revealed in the replies is an indication that American thought upon the subject of military affairs is becoming sane."

"Angry pacifists say that the nation is becoming hysterical. If it is it is the pacifists who should rejoice and the friends of preparedness who should mourn. What is needed never will be obtained in hysteria. The whole rational program will be destroyed if the people do not undertake it with steadfast purpose and intelligent comprehension of what they are about."

"The sentiment disclosed in Rockford indicates, we believe, that the idea of universal military education is taking hold of American intelligence and not that it is being inflated by American hysteria. The questions submitted to the Rockford parents touched them directly and practically. Their sons were involved in the decision. The thought revealed in Rockford may have significance for the nation."

EIGHT HOUR DAY.

"On December 15th the executive committees of the four brotherhoods of railroad employees will meet in Chicago to submit the proposed wage demands to the men for approval," says the Wall Street Journal. "This is what is generally known as a strike vote, since the form of the ballot is such that an affirmative vote pledges the union leaders the support of the men to the extent of a strike to make their demands effective. It may be assumed in advance that the vote will be 90 or 95 per cent affirmative. An almost unanimous vote is part of the regular procedure in such cases."

As it is popularly understood, the demand of the men for an eight hour day instead of a ten hour work day, if the men really wanted an eight hour day, that is, if they were willing to add up the number of hours worked and divide by eight to ascertain the number of days for which they should be paid, it is highly probable that the railroad companies would accede without parley. But that is not by any means what is demanded. Instead, the men ask for eight hours for the maximum of time for one day's pay, that over-time payment begin at the end of eight instead of ten hours, and that all of the many thousands of employees who obtain a day's pay for seven, six or even four hours' work shall continue to be paid on that basis.

Railroad wage schedules are extremely complicated affairs, so much so that executive officers, managers and members of board of arbitration confess themselves unable to calculate with any degree of accuracy the effect of proposed changes before they have been put in practice. But the matter will be clarified somewhat if it is borne in mind that the wages of engine and train crews are based chiefly upon mileage run. Ordinarily, a day's work is 100 miles, whether this is made in four hours or twelve. If the unit of mileage is not made within ten hours, pay for over-time begins and continues until the men are released. But if the unit of mileage is made in four, five or six hours, the company may not again call the same crew or man to duty without beginning a new wage day.

"It is impossible to cut all of the work on the rail into eight-hour periods. The same train will get over the same run in six hours one day, in eight hours another, and in ten hours on some other. In the engineers' and firemen's arbitration in Chicago last winter the carriers showed, without challenge from the men, that the average time on duty for conductors in rough and local passenger service was six hours and ten minutes, in local 'turn-around' service, a fraction over seven hours, in suburban seven hours and thirty-eight minutes, and in fast through freight nine hours and thirty-eight minutes. In slow freight, local freight and work train service the average approximates twelve hours."

"Something could doubtless be said in favor of reducing the hours of those men who put in the longest days, but it is not surprising that the companies resist even that demand as long as so many of their men are already drawing a day's pay for much less than eight hours' work. As for 'time and a half' after eight hours, the carriers are adamant against putting a premium upon delayed trains. Railroad officers contend, plausibly enough, that there could be no greater obstacle to prompt service, either passenger or freight, than such a basis for adjusting the pay of train crews."

After complaining because they have to work fifty-four hours a week in a factory or store, most of the girls seem to be willing to get married and work fourteen hours a day seven days a week doing housework.

If Henry Ford stops the war now, it will give the fighters of Europe just the chance they need to prepare for exterminating the rest of the people in a more efficient manner in about a year or two.

The fact that the president's message contained only 4,000 words this year and did not occupy much bulk when printed, is a severe blow to the junk and old paper trade.

It looks as if the national political conventions would be of the good old-fashioned kind, with the deliberations conducted by the prize-yellers in the galleries.

The glorious maxim, "Never do today what you can put off until tomorrow," is now being exemplified by many persons in the matter of Christmas buying.

It is believed that the Turks have thoughtfully left enough Americans in the covers so that the hunting will

be fairly good during the next open season.

Andrew Carnegie is said to have only \$20,000,000 left, but it is believed that by strict economy he can avoid asking the neighbors for help.

There have been sixteen football fatalities the past season, which is considered sufficient to maintain interest in the game.

Preparedness for the small boy means a record of six weeks' attendance at Sunday school before Christmas.

So far none of the farmers have been blown up because they were raising corn to feed the fighting powers.

On the Spur of the Moment

ROY K. MOULTON

"If I ever wed,
The bachelor said,
I'm going to wed a queen;
A beauty bright,
Good to the sight,
Good to the sight,
A perfect girl, I ween."

She must be kind
And have a mind
That's brilliant through and through;
She must have grace
And handsome face—
No other kind will do.

And she must cook
Right by the book,
And love her housework well;
And she must stay
At home all day,
No idle gossip tell.

He looked around
But never found
That he had looked for.
There was no such;
He asked too much,
He died a bachelor.

The Miser's Ruse.
Old Josh Lee was a miser, and he breakfasted every morning on oatmeal. To save fuel, he cooked his week's supply of oatmeal on Sundays. This was a mouthful of the cold, stiff mixture—then he half rose, thinking he'd have to cook himself some eggs.

But he hated to give in, so he hated to waste the oatmeal. So he took out the whisky bottle, poured a generous glass and setting it before his plate, he said:

"Now, Josh, if you eat that oatmeal you'll get that whisky; and if you don't, you won't."

The oatmeal was hard to consume, but Josh, with his eye on the whisky, spoonful was gone, when the last spoonful was gone, he grinned broadly, poured the whisky back into the bottle again and said:

"John, my son, I fooled you that time, you old idiot."

Recreation.
When I would rest my weary bones
And my dull very head,
I sit down with a magazine ere I
Depart for bed.

A good 15-cent magazine, that is the kind I need.
And then I hunt an hour or two for
Something I can read.
I labor through the beauty ads until
I'm sick and sore.

When I think I've perused them all,
I find full twenty more.
And then I strike the auto ads and
Till the midnight hour
I pour over differentials and trans-
mission and horsepower.

Then comes the correspondence
schools, and in page after page,
They tell me how I've missed my
chance upon this old world's
stage.

I read of fancy barbed wire fence
and jagged curves that are great,
Of breakfast foods and new windmills
until my tired pate
Refuses to hold any more advice on
What to buy.

And then to find some reading in the
god darn thing I try.

I find a lot of actorines and scenes
from New York plays
They smile upon me from the thing
whichever way I gaze.
And when I've seached until I can't
hold up my old bonehead,
For something that I like to read, I
quit and go to bed.

Keeping the Line Busy.
"Why don't you call on the girl and
explain things in private?" asked the
friend of the angry young man, after
the latter had been reproaching his
sweetheart by telephone for the bet-
ter part of half an hour.

"Not a chance," replied the irate
one. "I'll fight it out on this line if
it takes all summer."

Sleeping on the Piano.
One of the Michigan papers, in re-
porting a musicale, said: "The best
number was 'Please Go Away and
Let Me Sleep on the Piano.'"

The Daily Novelette

Where is Jenkins Now?
"My man is heavily built," said
Such was the farmer's boast.
"Today a grindstone came to me,
By parcel post."

(By the author of Always Too Late
to Lend, "The Catfish Poison Mys-
tery," "What Made the Waffle,"
"Waff" in "Ed," "Muscadine O'Reilly,"
"Through a Bay Window," "Shot in
the Stomach," "The Broken Penhold-
er," "The Bookkeeper's Revenge,"
"Flavia McHookenbrooks," "The Fil-
lition," "What Time Is It, Central?,"
"A Play in Four Acts," "The Beer
Kettle's Missing Lid," etc., etc., etc.)

"Jenkins," said Boswell Scudry, the
managing editor, to the foreman of
the composing room, "I want you to
set his story yourself and Jenkins
follow copy exactly if it takes you
out the window."

"Yes, sir," said Jenkins, the world's
only obedient composing room fore-
man.

The next day the Morning Glory
appeared with a two-column storylet
of blighted affection by Syphon Twit-
terly, at the end of which was print-
ed: "Dear Mr. Scudry, here is the
story for whose publication I agreed
to pay the Morning Glory ten dollars.
Enclosed please find same."

JACK DILLON POLISHES
OFF "PORKY" FLYNN

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
New York, Dec. 8.—Jack Dillon of
Indianapolis outfought "Porky" Flynn
of Boston in their ten round bout in
Brooklyn, Tuesday night. Dillon
weighed 175 and Flynn 155 pounds.

More Lemons.
New York, Dec. 8.—Freddie Welsh,
lightweight champion, left here on
Tuesday with Manager Harry Pollock
for Memphis, Tenn., to fight Billy
Riak, the southern impresario, has
dusted off a new "unknown" for the
champion. Welsh will fight the mys-
terious new eight rounds Friday night
and then return to Philadelphia for a
six round tilt with Jimmy Murphy of
Chicago on Monday.

SNAP SHOTS

Suggestion to men: If the wind
blows your hat off do not bother to
chase it. Let the spectators do it
for you.

The table of comparative values
shows that, as a lawn ornament, the
terse old iron is superior to the
superior to the cast-iron lion.

Talk to a doctor confidentially and
he will tell you a secret reflecting on
some other doctor.

The average man will search
longer for the half-smoked cigar he
had eaten when he was called to the
telephone than he will for a dollar
bill.

If a woman has had enough experi-
ence to lend a man a little assistance,
he finds no difficulty in proposing to
her.

The older a man grows the oftener
he opens the casket in which his
dead hopes lie.

Every family should plant a few
flower seeds, thus providing the fam-

ily dog with soft earth in which to
bury his bones.

The credit should be about equally
divided between the men who fur-
nish the money to keep up the church
and the women who give it.

When a woman is ill the best
medicine is the thought that if she
dies her children are likely to have
a stepmother.

Up to the time a man is forty,
moonlight is a thing that stirs his
heart. After he is forty, it is a thing
that permits him to go about at night
without the aid of a lantern.

NORTHEAST PORTER

Northeast Porter, Dec. 7.—Mrs.
Charles Nelson is spending the week
with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Lein, of
Albion, Pa.

Miss Alice Gardner was at home from
Madison university for the week-end.
Mrs. Herbert Herried entertained
her mother, Mrs. Koupinger, her
cousin, Larson Koupinger, and Mr.
and Mrs. Bert Halverson, all of
Stoughton, Sunday.

Miss Alice Wright attended the
funeral of Mrs. George Campbell of
Stoughton last week.

South ulton spent Sunday afternoon
at the Gardner and Jensen homes.
News has been received here of the
birth of a little daughter to Mr. and
Mrs. Carl Lerner of Sauk City on De-
cember 2d. Mrs. Lerner's sister, Miss
Irene Boothroyd, is there helping to
care for the little niece.

Tom Hartzell has returned from his
trip to Eau Claire and other nearby
points, and reports a very pleasant
time.

Ernest Haylock spent Sunday with
his mother, Mrs. George Haylock, of
Edgerton.

Mrs. Lucy Shaw and daughter, Miss
Eleanor, spent Monday afternoon with
the former's sister, Miss Emma
Wright.

Mrs. Jacob Purseeth of Cooksville is
spending a week with her sister, Mrs.
Ed. Jensen.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gardner and
family and Mr. and Mrs. William Gar-
diner, Jr., spent Sunday with Mr. and
Mrs. John Thomson.

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ON TRIAL

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"Better come down Saturday night, as we want to leave by 5 Sunday morning," said Trask. "But I've got to run along now."

As he turned to the doorway he came face to face with May Strickland, about to enter the room. For a moment he hesitated; then made as if to go on. The woman saw him and drew back, but her husband, looking past his departing friend, saw her and halted her with:

"Come in, dear."

There was no way out for May Strickland at this juncture in her life. She could not retreat without evident discourtesy to her husband's guest. Reluctantly she entered the room, and the die was cast whose throwing meant so much in the lives of all four there present, the woman, the child and the two men, with others whose fates were interwoven with theirs.

May Strickland's face was pale as she entered the room, and a close observer might have seen her hands twitching her handkerchief nervously. Her husband at that moment was not a keen watcher. His mind was too intent on the pleasure of introducing the wife who was the joy and pride of his life and the man who had proved himself so good a friend. Was it not Trask who had made possible the successful trip to Cleveland which was to result in the opening of a new life for his beloved May and Doris, as well as for himself?

Strickland's face beamed as he said:

"I want you to meet Mr. Trask, May. Jerry, my wife."

Both Mrs. Strickland and Trask bowed, the former in silence and the latter with a formal "Delighted, Mrs. Strickland." Then, having recovered his pulse, he said:

"I've often heard Bob speak of you," Strickland laughed. "Yes, dear, Jerry knows almost as much about you as I do."

Although the husband did not perceive it, there was strain apparent in the grouping of the three. Trask relieved it by saying: "Well, I've got to hurry away now."

Strickland answered impulsively: "Oh, wait just a few minutes! Good heavens, I want May to know you."

"Sorry," said Trask. "But I can't. Some other time. Good night, Mrs. Strickland."

In a low voice, the words scarcely audible, May Strickland replied, "Good night."

And now Trask turned his full face upon her, laying just the faintest possible stress upon his words: "I hope to have the pleasure again, Mrs. Strickland. Good night!" To Doris also there was a "Good night" before Trask left, followed by Strickland.

Mrs. Strickland followed them with her eyes until she was quite sure that they were out of earshot; then in a hurried, uncertain way she turned to her little daughter with the question:

"Doris, dear, was he—Mr. Trask—here long?"

"Yes," answered the child; "they were talking an awfully long time. Daddy's going fishing at Long Branch."

"What do you mean, child?"

"Mr. Trask lives at Long Branch, and daddy's going fishing with him Sunday. Wouldn't it be funny if Mr. Trask found your purse, mamma?"

"Be quiet, Doris!"

Having sped his parting guest, Strickland re-entered the room. He said to his wife:

"Well, you weren't very talkative, dear."

"I was rather taken aback. I didn't expect to find a stranger here."

"Well, I'm glad you met me at last," said Strickland. "It's too bad you didn't get to know each other sooner."

"What brought him here?"

"I wired him to come. I took up that note—the \$10,000 I owed him."

Had Robert Strickland's mind not been so occupied with his relief over the freedom from the debt which had harassed him he could not have failed to note the horror-stricken eyes of his wife. Her figure was flexed forward from the waist, and there was uncontrollable agitation in her manner.

"You mean you paid it?"

"Yes, why, what's the matter?"

"Nothing. But I thought—I'm glad you're able to."

His wife's agitation passed from Strickland's mind. Only the thought of financial freedom and Trask's generous-



Husband and Wife Were Alone Together at Last.

ity remained.

"Yes," he said, "I feel better, too, although Jerry would have given me as much time as I wanted. He's a big hearted chap."

"Yes."

"He invited me to go fishing with him to Long Branch on Sunday."

"Oh, I think Helen will expect us to dinner."

"By George! I never thought of that. All right, I won't go, then."

There was relief in May Strickland's manner as she said:

"No, don't. Besides, I dislike the idea of your being out in a boat."

"All right, I'll telephone Jerry in the morning."

It was bedtime now for Doris. In the manner of all children, she begged hard for "just five minutes more with daddy, please," but both daddy and mother were obdurate, insisting that a "little girl" should have been in bed hours ago. After kissing them both good night Doris trotted off to bed, not, however, until Strickland had asked her to hang up his vest for him. She took her new treasure, Herman, with her, and her parting words were: "I love the door open."

Husband and wife were alone together for the first time since his homecoming.

"Oh, Robert," said May, "I've read your letter a dozen times. I feel as though I knew every nook and corner of the house. I'm so anxious to go."

"We'll be there soon," said Strickland. "As soon as we can get ready, say two weeks."

"Oh, as long as that?"

"Well, ten days if you like."

"Let's go next week," said May eagerly. "I have grown to detest New York."

"But we've waited so long: a few days more or less—"

"That's just it. We've waited so long that it's gotten on my nerves."

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"Why, it's scarcely time. There'll be some things to buy."

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Strickland rose from his chair and went over to the table on which Doris had deposited the traveling bag.

"Wait a minute," he said. "I've been doing a little shopping myself." And he took from the bag a package which he handed to his wife.

"For me?" said May.

"Yes."

The gift pleased the woman, but in her mind was still uppermost the desire to get away from New York.

"Oh, Robert, I'll be so glad to get away. I'll start packing tomorrow."

Here entered into the lives of Robert and May Strickland and of their child Doris and of Joan and Gerald Trask and of their children and of Stanley Glover and of others a person of whom none of them knew up to that moment. He was a humble instrument of Providence, a man of lowly station. He did not know that he was to play a part in a mighty tragedy. Yet his intervention, to play the part of the fates such as was assigned to those mystic women by the ancient Greek tragedians, warped the courses of the earthly lives of many persons. His coming into the existences of the Stricklands was announced by the maid Bertha, who entered and said:

"There's a Mr. Burke here to see you, Mrs. Strickland."

Strickland turned to May:

"Who's Mr. Burke?"

"Why, I don't know."

"Tell him to come in, Bertha," said Strickland.

There entered into the room a man of medium height, stockily built, with an honest, open countenance which testified plainly to his Irish extraction. He was dressed very obviously in his "Sunday suit," and he seemed not quite at ease in the finery. But the coat and trousers were dusty and bore a few clutters, telling the careful observer that he had recently traveled in a railroad train. His first remark was addressed to May.

"Are you Mrs. Robert Strickland, mum?"

"Yes."

"I don't like to bother you, mum."

"Sit down, Mr. Burke," said Strickland, indicating the sofa.

"Thank you, sir. I found a purse that belongs to you, mum, I think."

If Strickland's face had been turned at that moment toward his wife instead of to the stranger in his home, he could not have failed to note the agitation in her face and manner. It was with a tremendous effort that she calmed herself and said to her husband:

"Robert, dear, your dinner will be ready now; you'd better go in before it gets cold."

"I can wait a few minutes," said Robert.

"Perhaps Mr. Burke will excuse you," she persisted.

"I'll only take a minute, mum," said Burke. "I've come all the way from Long Branch."

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May tried to speak without concern. "Why no, I don't think so."

"Are you sure, mum?" asked Burke. "Positive," she replied.

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ABE MARTIN



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WOMAN'S PAGE

Married Life on \$80 a Month

By Mrs. E. L. LEONARD



"Wasn't it a lovely time?" asked Molly as she carefully slipped the blue silk dress into its sheath and hung it in the closet. The Ellisons knew just how to entertain. Olive makes every body feel perfectly at home and calls out the best that is in him.

"She certainly does. How do you like Julia Osgood?" asked Molly. "I like her very much," said Molly. "I am glad to hear that," said Mrs. Leonard. "I am glad to hear that," said Mrs. Leonard. "I am glad to hear that," said Mrs. Leonard.

lasted hair done up and the skin lotion on and—

"Why, John?" exclaimed Molly. "You ought to be ashamed of yourself. If I put up with the inconvenience of sleeping in these abominable curlers for the sake of trying to look a little more decent you surely ought to be able to stand the light a few minutes while I am doing them up."

"Well, hurry up, do," urged a big day's work ahead of me and I am tired," John rolled over with his back to the light.

"I tell you that I heard Mr. Jaynes say that Tyler had been indicted by the grand jury and his trial set for the spring term of court," Molly threw up the window preparing to blowing out the light.

"No, I hear that he can get no one to go his bail and he will have to stay in jail till the trial comes off. Isn't that awful?" remarked John as Molly climbed into bed.

"I am glad he has no wife," said Molly feigning.

Soon John's regular breathing told Molly that he was sound asleep, but she was wide awake and lay there thinking over the pleasant evening, making a long list of things to be thankful for.

"We are rich in friends, anyway," she thought, "and Mrs. Jaynes was particularly nice to us. He is interested in John now and will notice how hard he works and perhaps, who knows, he may find in his heart to raise his salary out of these days."

Molly lay enraptured on this delightful thought, and planning what they would do with the increase.

Suddenly she stopped herself with a gasp.

"This is mere idle dreaming. Mrs. Morton said I must learn to face conditions, and this dreaming of a raise does not fit me to live on eighty dollars a month," she said, and turned over and went to sleep.

(To be continued.)

AN EVENING WRAP WITH ONE SLEEVE



There is charm and novelty in this wrap of metallic brocade with its luxuriant trimming of white fox fur. In fashioning the model the careless manner in which the Spaniard throws his mantilla over his shoulder was made much of, and used as the foundation for the balance of the wrap. It is thrown about the shoulder in a rather chic fashion and falls to the ankles. The added novelty is the fact that the wrap has but one sleeve. This is set in on the right side. The entire wrap is trimmed with a wide band of white fox.

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Marriage Statistics for State Show Smaller Percentage of Widows and Divorces Getting Married.

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Madison, Wis., Dec. 8.—Statistics for Wisconsin for several years show that the proportion of bachelors among groomsmen and of spinsters among brides is increasing somewhat, and that the proportions of widowed and divorced, especially the latter, who make another entry into matrimony, are decreasing notably. The great bulk of marriages in this state occur between single men and single women. Persons of former matrimonial experience who have married again have declined in number perceptibly in the last three years, particularly among those for whom the previous marriage was ended by divorce rather than by death.

The statistics for 1914 have just been completed by the bureau of vital statistics. The following figures furnish a comparison with 1913 and 1912:

	1914	1913	1912
Total marriages	17,241	21,022	20,125
Bachelors	16,021	19,438	18,421
Spinsters	16,346	19,578	18,554
Widows	679	949	774
Divorced	938	1,165	1,198
Divorced groomsmen	525	625	49
Divorced brides	286	448	506

More spinsters than bachelors married last year, the spinsters' excess being over 200. Widowers, however, outnumbered bachelors by nearly a third. The divorce column gives the brides a slight excess over the divorced groomsmen.

As recently noted, the notable falling off in number of marriages last year was due in part to the eugenic marriage law, but more especially to the conditions which have affected the marriage rate adversely in many states.

Bright brides last year were under 16 years old, while four brides and six groomsmen were over 80. Four thousand and eighty brides and 377 groomsmen were between 15 and 19 years. 8,026 brides and 7,123 groomsmen were between 20 and 24; 3,993 brides and 3,777 groomsmen were between 25 and 29; 902 brides and 1,970 groomsmen were between 30 and 34; 414 brides and 891 groomsmen were between 35 and 39; 227 brides and 423 groomsmen were between 40 and 44; 122 brides and 263 groomsmen were between 45 and 49; 66 brides and 126 groomsmen were between 50 and 54; 36 brides and 66 groomsmen were between 55 and 59; 12 brides and 26 groomsmen were between 60 and 64; 6 brides and 12 groomsmen were between 65 and 69; 3 brides and 6 groomsmen were between 70 and 74; 1 bride and 3 groomsmen were between 75 and 79; 1 bride and 3 groomsmen were between 80 and 84; 1 bride and 3 groomsmen were between 85 and 89; 1 bride and 3 groomsmen were between 90 and 94; 1 bride and 3 groomsmen were between 95 and 99; 1 bride and 3 groomsmen were between 100 and 104; 1 bride and 3 groomsmen were between 105 and 109; 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KINSMEN OF NEW GLARUS "RIP VAN WINKLE" IN SUIT

Suing Farmer for Wages Alleged Due to Fabian Streiff, Man of Mystery, Claiming \$25,000.

Monroe, Wis., Dec. 8.—Relatives of Fabian Streiff, the modern "Rip Van Winkle," who returned to his boyhood home at New Glarus a few weeks ago after an absence of 34 years, have filed suit in the Whiteside county, Ill., circuit court asking \$25,000 in wages of Henry Reedy, the farmer whom he had served during all the years of his absence.

One Sunday morning in 1881, Fabian Streiff, then a young man of 29 years of age, announced he was going into the woods to hunt wolves. He had frequently engaged in the past. Night fell and he failed to return, but the members of the family thought little of this, believing that he had struck a promising trail and was determined to track his quarry to its den, and that he would return home some time the following day. But day succeeded day and he did not return. Then a search party was organized in the fear that he met with a mishap. But no trace of the missing man was found. Although the woods surrounding New Glarus for a radius of many miles were thoroughly searched, it was finally decided the man had fallen a victim to the wolves he had so often hunted, and that they had left not even a bone by which he could be identified.

About a month ago a feeble and aged man applied to the local farmer near Stockton, Ill. He told that for years he had been working for Henry Reedy, a farmer near Albany, Ill., and alleged that he had been turned out when old age crept on and he was no longer able to perform a hard day's work. He appeared to be somewhat mentally unbalanced, and finally the farmer who had hired him lodgings and permitted him to rest for a few days after his 60 mile tramp over the hills in that section, in response to his repeated requests wrote a letter to the postmaster at New Glarus, explaining that the man claimed that a third of a century ago he had relatives in that section.

It was the first clue which had come back in 34 years which promised to roll back the curtain and explain the mysterious disappearance of Fabian Streiff on a Sunday morning in 1881. Reedy left for Stockton, Ill., on the first train. The identity of the man was established. A few days later he was brought home in an automobile over the same route he had walked 34 years ago. It was his first ride in an auto. He found New Glarus, the little Swiss hamlet which he had left over a third of a century ago, a thriving village and one of the richest for its size in the state of Wisconsin.

An investigation of his story proved that during all the years he had been absent from his relatives he had been working for Henry Reedy, a wealthy farmer residing near Albany, Ill., and during that time he had received only his board and sufficient clothing to cover his nakedness. He showed mental weakness and during all the time he had remained with the farmer he had been known by the name of "Carp" or "Carpenter." The investigation by Fred Strain and Jacob Figg, two of his relatives from New Glarus, he was taken before Judge W. A. Blodgett of Sterling, and T. J. Laker of New Glarus, who appointed his conservator. The legal firm of McMahon & Rogers of Fulton were employed and suit in the amount of \$25,000 as wages alleged to be due Streiff for 34 years of services has been filed.

BROOKLYN

Brooklyn, Dec. 7.—The bazaar and supper given Saturday afternoon and evening by the Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church was a financial success. The ladies realized nearly eighty dollars from their efforts. The remains of Mrs. Nellie Hersey were brought here Saturday afternoon from a home for indigent in Mount Hope cemetery, after having been in ill for over a year. Mrs. Hersey was born and reared in this city and made her home with her mother and sister on the old homestead for a number of years, until this fall, when she moved to Madison in order that her daughter might have the advantage of a course at the state university. She leaves her daughter, Miss Ruth Hersey, a sister, Miss Anna Boyce, who has been with her at Madison, and a brother, Fred Boyce of this place, to mourn her death.

Margaret Plumlee, small daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Plumlee, has been seriously ill with measles and pneumonia. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Amidon, Sunday night. Bert Richards spent a couple of days in Chicago last week. Miss Lou Howland of Evansville called on friends in town Saturday afternoon. A number from here attended a supper given at the Baptist church in Union, Friday evening. N. T. Slavson of Evansville was in town on business Friday. Mrs. Fred Bennett of Augusta is visiting relatives and friends in town. Mrs. A. G. Piller went to Greencoc, Iowa, last week, where she was called by the illness of her sister.

NORTH JOHNSTOWN

North Johnstown, Dec. 7.—Harold Hawthorn of Johnstown, purchased a team of horses recently of M. H. Malone, consideration being \$400. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Savings of Uters Corners, are spending the winter at the home of their grand-daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Haag. Mrs. Wm. Horne of Lima, spent Monday with friends here. Mr. Rook lost a valuable cow one day last week. John Fanning spent Sunday and Monday with relatives in Janesville. Nicholas Maher was a business caller in Janesville last Thursday. Latsy Fanning spent Thanksgiving with his sister, Mrs. Chas. McKunc, near Janesville. Mrs. M. J. Joyce and Miss Julia Pierce spent the week-end in Janesville. Mr. and Mrs. E. Pierce spent Saturday in Janesville. M. J. Joyce delivered hogs at Avalon Monday at \$6.20 per cwt.

EAST MILTON

East Milton, Dec. 7.—Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cashion were at the Fort Howard. Messrs. and Mesdames Pratt and Futzke were at Janesville Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. John Cashion spent Sunday at the home of Alex Cashion. John Goldthorpe sold a valuable cow to John Wehinger of Janesville last week. Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Dickhoff and son spent Sunday at Janesville with Mr. and Mrs. William Rabyer. Mrs. Otto Futzke was a Janesville visitor last Thursday. Mrs. Clifford Nelson and daughter of Clear Lake, Wis., are here visiting at the home of J. E. Patterson.

WISCONSIN BINDERS HAVE GOOD DEMAND

Cigar Industry Continues to Buy Stock at Rising Prices, Says Eastern Trade Journal.

Commenting on the general situation in the leaf market, the editor of the United States Tobacco Journal relates: "A mere Thanksgiving holiday proved by all odds insufficient to stem in any way the tide of business that is sweeping through the leaf market. While Wisconsin and Pennsylvania tobaccos, particularly odd lots of the former crop, ruled predominant in buyers' favor, the stimulus of sound underlying conditions, prevailing now in the cigar industry, was felt all along the line. Although business on the market, manufacturers have continued adding to their holdings of Wisconsin binders and Pennsylvania fillers. As regards other domestic types, manufacturers who have journeyed from the water street zone to the more rural environs of Connecticut are said to have met with a rather astounding situation. Their demands for Shadegrown tobacco have been halved, and in some cases divided by three, where sellers entertained the belief that the existing supply had been apportioned among a long list of customers rather than turned over quickly to a few. More than one eastern factory is reported not only to be grossly short of immediate Shadegrown supplies, but also disappointed as regards the outlook for more. In Havana there is heightened interest, due to the receipt of new sample bases, and the consequent demand for the when subjected to rigorous tests, proved better than at first anticipated, and importers here can well understand the increased activity reported now in the Cuban capital. While the outlook for the coming Yuletide trade is discouraging, dispatches say that the Partido acreage will be normal, and new Remedios at the present time negotiations for such consequence have taken place that the said is said to be practically none of this type uncompromised. Sumatra with question being one of supply rather than demand. It is apparent upon survey of the New York market that the broadly-sustaining feature is not a spur in the class of tobacco, but gradually-retaining snap and all along the line, due, as stated, to healthy underlying factors."

Composition of Tobacco.

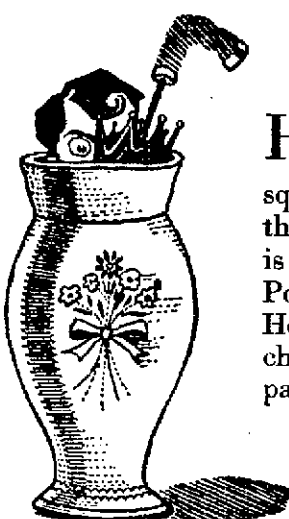
"We are beginning to study the composition of plants at various stages of their growth," the Western Tobacco Journal says. "Knowing this gives better information on feeding the plant with the proper fertilizer. Italy position of making studies in the composition of tobacco. Says a report: 'These results show that seedlings are richer in ash, nitrogen and organic acids than half grown or full grown plants. The leaves before flowering the apical leaves are rich in ash, nitrogen and substances soluble in ether and alcohol than the lower leaves, the ash content decreases from the basal (first picking) to the apical leaves (fourth picking), and the leaves of the first and second pickings are also richer in nicotine, containing double the quantity of the leaves of the third and fourth pickings. The leaf blades are always richer in nitrogen, phosphorus and substances soluble in ether and alcohol, and nicotine than other parts of the plant, but the roots contain more nicotine than the stems.'"

HARDWARE

Hardware, Dec. 6.—James Burns was a Milwaukee visitor Tuesday. Roy Cook and wife of Edgerton spent Sunday at Wm. Attlesser's. Greta Devine spent Sunday with Hilma Murky. Louis Heruanson and family and Mrs. J. Hayes of Pardeville, were Sunday visitors at James Burns'. Leonard Murky has gone to Stoughton to work on the new dam for a few weeks. Hazel Learn went to Stoughton Saturday to attend a teachers' meeting. Mike and Alice Doran spent Sunday at James Livick's. Avel Boden and family of Stebbinsville, spent Sunday at Peter Murky's. Mr. and Mrs. John E. Jacobson and son, Sidney, spent Saturday and Sunday with their daughters near Cambridge.

LA PRAIRIE

La Prairie, Dec. 7.—Roy Hale is confined to his bed with an attack of the measles. Mildred spent the week end with Mrs. William Conway. Plan to attend the box social to be held at the home of Mrs. George Howard Friday evening, Dec. 10. Everyone invited. Will Howard was a Chicago visitor Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore and Mrs. P. Chesmore spent Sunday at Stoughton.



Herb Wessel

squeezes his ribs against those of the umbrella. He is waiting for rain to drive Point 7 his way. While Herb is busy you've a great chance to hunt it in the package!

- 1—Crowded with flavor
- 2—Velvety body—NO GRIT
- 3—Crumble-proof
- 4—Sterling purity
- 5—From a daylight factory
- 6—Untouched by hands

What?



The 7-point gum

PEPPERMINT - RED WRAPPER
CINNAMON - BLUE WRAPPER

Suitable rewards for the discovery of the 7th point will be offered later.

Orfordville News

Orfordville, Dec. 7.—Frank Smiley and family of Janesville, spent Sunday with relatives in the village. H. C. Taylor is hauling a large quantity of baled hay to the Janesville market.

Dr. and Mrs. Forbush are enjoying a visit from Mrs. Forbush's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bucher of Fond du Lac. A theatre party was tendered to Miss Gena Stuevegen by some of her young lady friends on Saturday evening. The affair was greatly enjoyed by those who participated.

Mrs. Amanda Keithline, Fisher of Beloit, visited on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Beck. A. L. Smiley of Beloit, spent the day in Orfordville with friends on Sunday. The carpenters have practically finished their work at the school building and it now looks as though it will soon be ready for occupancy.

Mrs. Mattie Lake went to Madison Monday on account of the illness of her daughter, Miss Frances Lake, who is a student at the University of Wisconsin.

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FAIRFIELD

Fairfield, Dec. 7.—Those shipping hogs the past week are Leon Stewart, Arnold, Schiarne, Milton Wilkins, Louis Grams, Harry Chas. Merill, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Wilkins and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hackwell spent a couple of days the past week in Chicago.

Mrs. Drager of Clinton visited her father, Mr. Grams, the last of the week.

Walter Grams and Ed. Wolf from who have been visiting relatives here, start for California today (Tuesday) to spend the winter.

Andrew Brodhead met with an accident last Tuesday which might have proved serious. While sawing wood at E. Cheesbro's, in reaching for a stick, his coat caught in the shaft, throwing him on the fly wheel and cutting a gash in his head, which required several stitches. He is getting along nicely.

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Brodhead News

Brodhead, Dec. 7.—Frederick S. Atwood of Minneapolis, Minnesota, the blind optimist, has been engaged by local knights of Pythias to deliver one of his lectures in Broughton's Opera House on Thursday evening, Dec. 9. The lecture is free and all are invited. Emily Scheberle went to Plattville Monday on a business trip.

Mrs. Harley Dedrick was a passenger to Monroe Monday.

M. H. Williams spent Monday in Juda.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Pengra returned Monday from a three-month's visit in the west and southwest, a part of which time was spent in Texas. They report a fine time.

Miss Nina Larson of Orfordville spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Agnew.

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Miss Marion Robinson of Madison was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jenkins and returned home Monday.

Reverend Briffmeier and Franzke and William Ritzert were in Albany Sunday.

The annual business meeting of the Evangelical church will take place Saturday afternoon at 1:30.

Milton Junction News

Milton Junction, Dec. 8.—D. L. Bottrell has sold his bakery in the Grange building to John Semon, who has already taken possession and makes an announcement in a display advertisement on this page.

John Semon is a Milton Junction product and makes no introduction, having worked for some time at the Kelly furniture store. He proposes to keep a full stock of bakery goods, candy, fruit, etc., and serve short order lunches. Mr. Bottrell will move the town clerk's office so some other quarters not yet settled upon in order that Mr. Semon may have more room for his business.

Miss Lucy Galligan of Fond du Lac is a guest of her cousin, Mrs. W. F. Bowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kerchhoff were Edgerton visitors Tuesday.

Will Brummond and family of Sandy Sink moved into the Ansley bungalow on School street.

Mr. and Mrs. William McKinley of Gold Springs were guests of friends here Monday.

W. S. Agnew has gone to Highmore, South Dakota, on business.

Miss Jennie Raynor of Lake Mills is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. D. Conkey.

Mrs. Rush Kilham and son of Waukegan and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Peabody of Johnson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thorpe Tuesday. They left for Waukegan.

John Hitts of Fort Atkinson was a business caller here Tuesday.

Miss Josephine Brown returned from Janesville last evening.

Mrs. Floyd Jaccant and Miss Jessie Striegi are on the sick list.

E. F. Edwards of Fort Atkinson was in town on business Tuesday.

The Mystic Workers met at their lodge rooms last evening and the officers for the ensuing year were elected.

after which a delicious two-course luncheon was served.

SHOPIERE

Shopiere, Wisconsin, Dec. 8.—Mrs. Charles Porter, of Janesville, spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Atkinson.

Helen Knipschild entertained a number of her friends Saturday afternoon in honor of her tenth birthday. Pauline Case is improving at present writing.

Mrs. Will Atkinson of Janesville, spent Friday here with relatives.

The Royal Neighbors will have an all-day meeting Dec. 16th at the home of Mrs. C. W. Shimeall, Picnic dinner.

The December meeting of Magnet camp was held at the home of Mrs. James Atkinson and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Oracle, Mrs. Sarah Knipschild; vice oracle, Mrs. Ella Culver; chancellor, Mrs. Sarah Atkinson; recorder, Mrs. Bertha Earl; receiver, Mrs. Nellie Howell; marshal, Mrs. Louisa Finnegan; inner sentinel, Mrs. Ann Hagman; outer sentinel, Mrs. Martha Black; manager for three years, Mrs. Nellie Gehling; physicians, Dr. Edden of Janesville, and Dr. Eaton of Harvard, Ill. At the conclusion of the

business meeting a lunch was served. Mrs. Harry Van Gilder of Canton, New York, is visiting relatives for a short time.

School will close Dec. 17th for a two weeks' vacation.

There will be a masquerade ball at Baggart's hall Friday evening, Dec. 17th.

A number of our local men enjoyed learning how to play volley ball at Clinton Friday evening in spite of the hard knocks they received.

FOOTVILLE

The Beloit male chorus, consisting of forty voices, will give a concert at Footville hall December 10th, Friday night, commencing at 8:15. Don't miss this as it is a rare treat.

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Harness Horse Brushes Collars Strap Work Blankets
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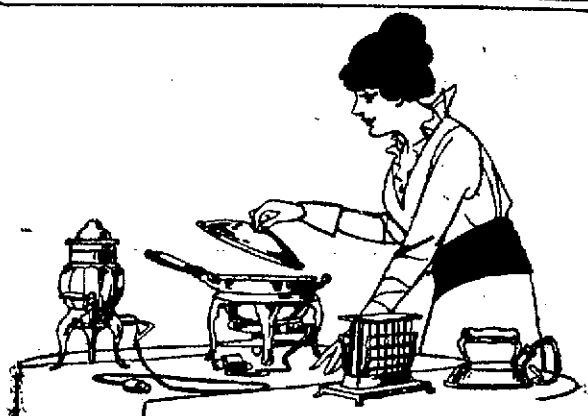
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200 Horse Collars, some of these are very good quality; priced very low. Prices of collars advancing all the time on account of war orders and rising in leather market.

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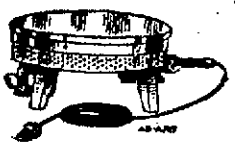
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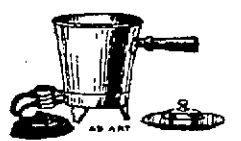
Make It An Electrical Xmas



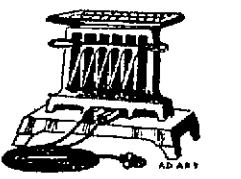
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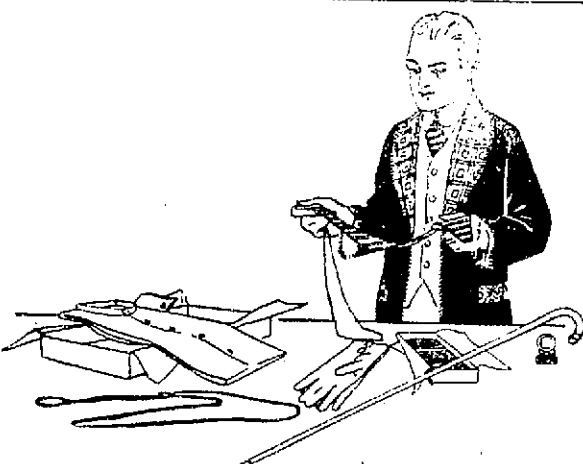
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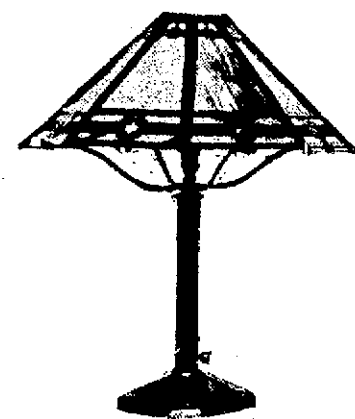
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